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A	A. REGISTRA	NT IDENTIFI	CATION		
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: SC	ura, Rise & Partr	ers Securities, L	LC	OFFICIAL USE ONLY	
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\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)



# OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Paul Scura	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial state	ement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
Scura. Rise & Partners Securities. LLC	
	2007 are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
•	l officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:	
	the same of the sa
	Signature
•	Managing Partner
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Notary Public	GILLIAN R AMOS
·	Notary Public - State of New York NO. 01AM6043362
This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):  (a) Facing Page.	Qualified in New York County
(a) Facing Page.  (b) Statement of Financial Condition.	My Commission Expires 06/12/2010
(c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
(d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.	
(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or	
☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated ☐ (g) Computation of Net Capital.	to Claims of Creditors.
(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requi	rements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
☐ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control	
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Computation for Determination of the Reserve Re	equirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 13c3-3.  ted Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
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(I) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
(n) A report describing any material inadequacies foun	nd to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audi

\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

# SCURA, RISE & PARTNERS SECURITIES, LLC

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

**DECEMBER 31, 2007** 

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Managing Member Scura, Rise & Partners Securities, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Scura, Rise & Partners Securities, LLC (the Company) as of December 31, 2007. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall statement of financial condition presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Scura, Rise & Partners Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2007 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

PUSTORINO, PUGLISI & CO., LLP

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New York, New York February 22, 2008

# SCURA, RISE & PARTNERS SECURITIES, LLC STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2007

#### **ASSETS**

ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	:	\$ 18,765
Prepaid assets		18,428
Other assets		 2,211
TOTAL ASSETS		\$ 39,404
	LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	
LIABILITIES  Accrued expenses payable		\$ 6,076.00
MEMBER'S EQUITY		 33,328

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY

39,404

### SCURA, RISE & PARTNERS SECURITIES, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2007

#### Note 1 - Organization:

Scura, Rise & Partners Securities, LLC (the "Company") is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FIRNA"), formerly the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD). The company was founded in December 2001 under the laws of Delaware and received approval from the NASD in April, 2002 and commenced operations on that date. The Company provides investment banking and related financial advisory services to institutional clients. It operates out of one office in New York City, NY.

The Company is wholly owned by Scura, Rise & Partners, LLC, (Parent) a New York City investment banking firm.

#### Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies:

#### Basis of Presentation:

The Company keeps its books and prepares its financial statements on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting standards generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Revenue Recognition:

The Company records fees as they are earned based on the services provided or the closing of certain securities transactions.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents:

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

#### Income Taxes:

The Company consolidates its taxable income with its Parent, which files a partnership return for federal, state and city purposes. As a result no federal or New York State income taxes are provided as they are the responsibility of the individual members. The Company records its allocable share of New York City Unincorporated Business Tax.

## SCURA, RISE & PARTNERS SECURITIES, LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2007

#### Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Cont'd):

#### Use of Estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Note 3 - Concentrations:

The Company maintains all of its cash in several major banks, which at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not subject to any significant credit risk on cash.

During 2007, the Company provided services to three major customers, resulting in revenues of approximately 82% of total revenues.

#### Note 4 – Net Capital Requirements:

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (rule 15c3-1) which requires the maintenance of a minimum net capital, as defined, of the greater of \$5,000 or one-fifteenth of aggregate indebtedness, as defined. As of December 31, 2007, the Company had net capital of \$12,689, which exceeded its requirement by \$7,689. Additionally, the Company must maintain a ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital of 15:1 or less. As of December 31, 2007 this ratio was .48:1.

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 of the SEC since the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption pursuant to subsection k(2)(i) of the Rule.

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